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CONFIRMATION NO. 7147

FORMALITIES LETTER

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION $\stackrel{\scriptstyle }{RECEIVED}$

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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- · The oath or declaration is missing. A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 65.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52 because:
 - Papers contain improper margins. Each sheet must have a left margin of at least 2.5 cm (1") and top, bottom and right margins of at least 2.0 cm (3/4")
- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - drawing sheets do not have the appropriate margin(s) (see 37 CFR 1.84(g)). Each sheet must include a top margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a left side margin of at least 2.5 cm. (1 inch), a right side margin of at least 1.5 cm. (5/8 inch), and a bottom margin of at least 1.0 cm. (3/8 inch);
 - more than one figure is present and each figure is not labeled "Fig." with a

consecutive Arabic numeral (1, 2, etc.) or an Arabic numeral and capital letter in the English alphabet (A, B, etc.)(see 37 CFR 1.84(u)(1));

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- A Copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application; (1)
- An Executed Declaration for Patent Application; **(2)**
- A substitute specification in compliance with 37 CFR 1.52; (3)
- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84; **(4)**
- A check in the amount of \$65.00; (5)
- A self-addressed stamped postcard, return of which is requested to acknowledge receipt (6) of the enclosed documents.

by depositing same in a postage prepaid envelope in an official depository under the exclusive care and custody of the United States Postal Service under 37 C.F.R. Section 1.10 on the date indicated above and is addressed to the "Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Box Missing Parts, Washington, D.C. 20231"

Respectfully submitted,

DREIER & BARITZ LLP

Dated: August 6, 2001

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REQUEST TO RESCIND ABANDONMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

SIR:

The applicant hereby requests that the abandoned status of the application, as set forth in the Notice of Abandonment ("Notice") mailed August 21, 2002, be rescinded, and the status of the application be returned to pending. According to the Notice, the applicant failed to respond to a Notice of Missing Parts dated October 10, 2001. However, the applicant is not aware of a Notice being mailed on that date, and believe that the indication of this date to be in error, for the reason that the applicant received a Notice of Missing Parts with a mail date of June 15, 2001. Applicant responded to this Notice August 6, 2001. A copy of the August 6, 2001 response is submitted herewith.

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Attorney Docket no. 7115.003

For the reasons set forth herein, the Application respectfully requests that the abandonment be rescinded and the application status be returned to pending.

Respectfally\submitted,

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Date: August 29, 2002 Dreier & Baritz LLP Attorneys for Applicant 499 Park Avenue - 20th Floor New York, NY 10022-1204 (212) 328 6100 (Voice) (212) 328 6101 (Fax)



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(1) A Request to Rescind Abandonment;

- (2) Copy of Response to Notice of Missing Parts Dated 6/15/2001
- (3) A Copy of the Notice of Abandonment dated 8/21/2002
- (4) Express Mail Certificate
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Respectfully submitted, **DREIER & BARITZ LLP**

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Date Mailed: 08/21/2002

NOTICE OF ABANDONMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.53 (f) OR (g)

The above-identified application is abandoned for failure to timely or properly reply to the Notice Cieviscing Parts (Notice) mailed on 10/10/2001.

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· No reply was received.

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A petition to the Commissioner under 37 CFR 1.137 may be filed requesting that the application be revived.

Under 37 CFR 1.137(a), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNAVOIDABLE DELAY must be filed promptly after the applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) an adequate showing of the cause of unavoidable delay; (2) the required reply to the aboveidentified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(I); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Under 37 CFR 1.137(b), a petition requesting the application be revived on the grounds of UNINTENTIONAL DELAY must be filed promptly after applicant becomes aware of the abandonment and such petition must be accompanied by: (1) a statement that the entire delay was unintentional; (2) the required reply to the aboveidentified Notice; (3) the petition fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(m); and (4) a terminal disclaimer if required by 37 CFR 1.137(d).

Any questions concerning petitions to revive should be directed to "Office of Petitions" at (703) 305-9282.

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